## Docket No. AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER MWS-072 Application No. Filing Date Examiner Art Unit 09/911,663-Conf. #3836 July 24, 2001 C. T. Thai 2173 Applicant(s): John CIOLFI **RECEIVED** Invention: HANDLING PARAMETERS IN BLOCK DIAGRAM MODELING JUL 2 0 2004 TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Technology Center 2100 Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number After **Previously Extra Claims** Amendment Paid Present Rate Total Claims 20 31 11 X 18 198.00 Independent 3 1 86 86.00 x Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): Extension for response within second month 420.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 704.00 x Large Entity Small Entity No additional fee is required for this amendment. × Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-0080 704.00 in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: July 16, 2004 Sear D. Detweiler Attorney Reg. No.: 42,482 LAHIVE & COCKFIELD, LLP 28 State Street Boston, Massachusetts 02109 (617) 227-7400

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